

General training and resources for Warwickshire education settings

BASELINE TRAINING

Warwickshire County Council (WCC) and Health have been working collaboratively with schools and Warwickshire Parent Carer Voice to develop a training model to support provision for Special Educational Needs and Disabilities (SEND) in education settings.

This information is focused on General training for Warwickshire education settings.

Training	Resource (Universal)	Awareness (Universal)	Learning	Training (Targeted)	Specialist	Network support
What information/ training looks like	Information that is available on public websites that can be accessed by anyone	E-learning - approx. 1-2 hrs long	Half day training that is instructor led	1 or 2 days training	Accredited qualification by an external body targeted training	
General training	Local Offer	Staff wellbeing	Coming Soon			SENCO network meeting
	NASEN	Reflective supervision in schools				
	Whole School Send	Transgender awareness				
	Education Endowment Foundation	Restorative Practice approach				
		Whole School Send Online CPD				

The following pages provide booking information for the above training as well as bespoke mental health training available for education settings.

Click here to visit the Local Offer



Bespoke General training for Warwickshire education settings

Course	Facilitated by	Course Length	Cost	Course outcomes	How to book training
An introduction to sensory processing supporting teaching and learning in the classroom	WCC - Educational Psychology Service	Twilight	EPS subscription or at agreed price	This course is designed to enhance the role of teachers and teaching assistants by providing an overview of the senses including proprioception, vestibular and oral motor. Explore strategies to support hypo and hyper sensitivities, sensory modulation (achieving a balance) and the Sensory Day Resources.	eps@warwickshire.gov.uk
Managing exam stress	WCC - Educational Psychology Service	Series of workshops	EPS subscription or at agreed price	Workshops suitable for a maximum of twelve Year 11 and Year 13 students who have been identified as particularly anxious or needing help to organise themselves. Runs at lunchtime or in PSHE lessons.	eps@warwickshire.gov.uk
The voice of the child	WCC - Educational Psychology Service	Twilight	EPS subscription or at agreed price	A psychological approach to gaining pupil views. Suitable for all school staff from Reception to Key Stage 4.	eps@warwickshire.gov.uk
DfE (Department for Education) funding for Senior Mental Health Lead training	WCC - Educational Psychology Service	2 half day sessions	£250 (can access DfE training grant)	Reflect upon your current school policy, including strengths and areas for change. Reflect upon previous mental health and wellbeing professional development opportunities and consider the schools aims and values in relation to your new policy. Answer questions posed about how to design your new policy, how to involve stakeholders and implement and review your new policy.	Department of Education
Parent course on mental health and wellbeing	WCC - Educational Psychology Service	Twilight	EPS subscription or at agreed price	This course can be booked for parents and carers of children and young people in your school. It aims to raise awareness of mental wellbeing and strategies to promote good mental health.	eps@warwickshire.gov.uk
Maximise the impact of teaching assistants (for senior staff)	WCC - Specialist Teaching Service	3 hrs	Bespoke training is quoted based on requirements of school	This course draws upon recent research into the best ways to deploy teaching assistants in schools and provides you with the tools and guidance to audit your school's use of teaching assistants.	Send and Inclusion training brochure
Maximising the impact of teaching assistants (for teaching assistants)	WCC - Specialist Teaching Service	3 hrs	Bespoke training is quoted based on requirements of school	This course draws upon recent research into the deployment of teaching assistants and instructional psychology to develop the skills of teaching assistants to scaffold the learning of the children they support with the greatest impact. This could be run as a half day or 2-3 twilight sessions.	Send and Inclusion training brochure
Staff wellbeing	WCC - Specialist Teaching Service	3 hrs	Bespoke training is quoted based on requirements of school	A whole school, practical approach to managing staff wellbeing. Delegates will have time to reflect on their own wellbeing and how they can support themselves and their colleagues.	Send and Inclusion training brochure

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	Course	Facilitated by	Course Length	Cost	Course outcomes	Link to book
Awareness	Staff wellbeing	NHS - CWRise	30 mins	Free	"Develop the understanding that we all have mental health and the impact of staff's mental health on the way we support young people. Discover tools and resources available for staff ourselves and for young people and participate in a discussion around creating a supportive environment when working with children and young people."	CWRise
	Reflective supervision in schools	Trauma informed schools UK	30 mins	Free	Learn how to promote effective staff wellbeing through reflective supervision.	Trauma Informed Schools
	Transgender awareness	NHS - CWRise	2 hrs	Free	This course will help practitioners to navigate tricky situations that parents in conflict can present.	CWRise
	Restorative Practice approach	WCC - Safeguarding Team	2 hrs	Free	Restorative practice encourages those who work with children and families to focus their time on building quality relationships that inspire positive change. Focusing on relationships, encouraging fair process and offering high support and high challenge, we want to share this relational approach to working with families, colleagues, and partners.	Safeguarding Team
	Whole School Send CPD Webinars	Whole School Send	1 hr	Free	Creating a physically safe environment, Creating a socially safe environment, Creating a emotionally safe environment. Online networking opportunity.	Whole School Send

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Network Meetings	Senco Meeting	lizlee@warwickshire.gov.uk or maggiehawker@warwickshire.gov.uk
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Free online resources	
<u>Local Offer</u>	Warwickshire's SEND local offer brings together information about the local services and support available across education, health and social care for families with children and young people aged 0 to 25, who have special educational needs and/or disabilities.
<u>NASEN</u>	National Association for Special Educational Needs (nasen) – a charitable membership organisation that exists to support and champion those working with, and for, children and young people with SEND and learning differences.
<u>Whole School send</u>	The Whole School SEND website, hosted by nasen, provides you with free, easy access to high quality information, resources and CPD to support a whole school approach to inclusion.
<u>Education Endowment Foundation</u>	The Education Endowment Foundation is an independent charity dedicated to breaking the link between family income and educational achievement. We do this by supporting schools to improve teaching and learning through better use of evidence.